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Title: METHOD FOR CONTINUOUS MEASUREMENT OF FLUX OF  
GASES IN THE LUNGS DURING BREATHING

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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**VIA COURIER**

The Commissioner of Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully request that the following submissions be entered as a Preliminary Amendment. It is requested that the Preliminary Amendment claim set be utilized when calculating the required filing fee.